

Mr. Reed moves to amend:

Strike out section 2 of the bill and insert the following in its place: "That section 4 of said act is hereby stricken out, and the following in lieu thereof is inserted:

"SEC. 4. The stockholders shall not be individually liable for the debts of said company."

The amendment is adopted, and the bill passes its second and third readings, and is ordered to be engrossed and sent to the Senate for concurrence.

H. B. 996, a bill to be entitled an act to incorporate the Asheville Ice and Coal Company, passes its second and third readings and is ordered to be sent to the Senate for concurrence without engrossment.

H. B. 997, a bill to be entitled an act to amend chapter 367, Laws of 1885, in regard to stock law in Richmond County, passes its second and third readings and is ordered to be engrossed and sent to the Senate.

S. B. 574, H. B. 1074, a bill to be entitled an act to incorporate the Statesville Development Company, passes its second reading by the following vote, and takes its place on the Calendar.

Those voting in the affirmative are:

Messrs. Alexander, Bass, Beck, Biddix, Brake, Bryan of Wayne, Bryan of Wilkes, Buchanan, Chapman, Chappell, Currie, Denny of Surry, Dickson, Earnhardt, Edmundson, Gill, Gilmer, Grier, Hall of Orange, Hedrick, Henry, Hickman, Hileman, Holman, Hood, Houk, Hudson, Johnson, Kearns, Kerr, Kirby, Leinbach, Long of Columbus, Lowery, Mann, Mayes, McClure, McGill, Middleton, Morse, Morton, Murdock, Nash, Newsom, Perry, Philips of Nash, Phillips of Watauga, Phipps, Pigford, Prince, Ray, Reed, Robertson, Scott, Skinner, Snell, Stroup, Sutton, Tatum, Taylor, Thompson, Toms, Upchurch, Vestal, Walston, Watkins, Watson of Vance, Whitfield, Wiley, Wilfong, Williams, Wilson, Wood, Woollen and Yancey—75.